FLETCHER TELLS HOW MEN

BRAVELY FACED UNSEEN FOE

Vera Cruz, April 30.-Rear Admiral Fletcher, who had been in com-

mand of the operations ashere ever since the landing of the American naval

forces and the evacuation of the city by the Mexican troops, issued the

following order this afternoon just before turning over to the 5th Infantry

Brigade of the army, under Brigadier General Funston, the task of guarding

"Headquarters of the United States Naval Forces on Shore, Vera

The naval forces occupying the City of Vera Cruz will, at 2 p. m., April

"The navy landed at 11 o'clock a. m., April 21, 1914. From shortly

The brigade, under the command of Captain William R. Rush, of the

30, 1914, withdraw and turn the command of the city over to the United

after their landing our men were under an almost continual fire

until 8:30 o'clock on the morning of the 22d. At that time, when all organ-

United States navy, had to fight its way from street to street against a

stubborn rifle fire from housetops, windows, steeples and from places of

concealment in all parts of the city. At 11 o'clock a. m. the city was in

fire all night was deserving of the highest praise, and the accurate and

timely gun fire of the Chester, the Prairie and the San Francisco in

good order and restoring confidence among the inhabitants of the city after

the fighting reflects the greatest credit upon the discipline and resource-

lawlessness and disorder were suppressed, 11,000 firearms were taken posses-

don of and a line of defence established around the city against an army

municipal government of the city has been re-established under the control

of its people and a civil government formed to carry out the laws of the

the harbor showed effective co-operation ashere and affoat.

army and for the relief and withdrawal of our own forces.

fulness of the men of the navy and the marine corps.

"The splendid advance of our men in the morning after being under

"The praiseworthy conduct of our men in establishing and maintaining

"In nine days' work the City of Vera Cruz was occupied by the navy,

"Business has been resumed and normal conditions restored. The

"All preparations were made during this time for the landing of the

"The officers and men of the naval forces deserve the highest com-

"The highest honor is due to those who gave their lives in the service

"In withdrawing my command from Vera Cruz I wish to extend to the

"In turning our work over to the army the navy extends its best wishes

officers and men who took part in its occupation my deepest appreciation

mendation for having done this work completely and having done it well.

ized authority in the City of Vera Cruz had ceased to exist, the order

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'DIVISION ORDER:

given to advance through the city

possession of the brigade

threatening to recapture it.

state and of the federal government.

of their gallant conduct and support.

PRICE ONE CENT in City of New York, Newark, Jersey City and Hobol ELSEWHERE TWO CENTS.

MOURNERS' MOB **BEGINS TORMENT** OF ROCKEFELLER

Plans to Dog Financier with Hearse.

2 ARRESTS IN FRONT OF 54TH ST. HOME sent by the Red Cross to Torreon.

Not Kill" Badges Taken After March.

"Sweet Marie" Ganz Leads Ra'd on 26 Broadway as Mates Start "Hunger Strike."

John D. Rockefeller, fr., had yes terday the busiest day he has expe-Just about the time Upton Sinclair, who were fined \$3 piece by Magistrate Sims and preferred go to jail rather than pay it, were cing supper hour-the first test of "hunger strike" declaration-five en appeared in front of the Rocke-

east the legend "Thou Shalt Not gill," and they marched in single file p and down before the house. Some the Rockefeller servants saw the Reserves hustled around to the place to find the men still at their gloomy parade, but doing nothing that could parrant their arrest.

House Guarded by Detectives.

The reserves went away, leaving Delliam Ward, who had been front of the house early yesterday, in charge. Ward told the men that they were safe to long as they hur Caron, an L. W. W. agitator, and or some time paraded up and down. hey then began to weary of the ex-

them, who said later they ere Ralph Simon, a cutter, of 63 East 107th st., and Maurice Rudome, and medical officer on board. a furrier, of the same address, stopped them to move along and they refused. and taken to the Night Court, where all merchant vessels in the future.

they were discharged. genious form of torture yet devised artillery are momentarily expected." for the financier.

Hearse Torture Planned.

Sinclair, the story goes, plans to hire a hearse as soon as he serves his three foodless days in a cell. He will mount the box early in the morning and drive the vehicle up and down in front of the Rockefeller house until his victim erty worth probably \$100,000,000. comes out and then follow him downtown to his office.

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THE MEXICAN SITUATION.

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FEAR FOR DR. EDWARD RYAN American in Mexico City May Be Shot as a Spy.

Washington, April 30.-Unofficial : ports reaching Washington late tonight that Dr. Edward Ryan, an American who has been looking after refugees, was to be executed as a spy at Mexico City to-morrow morning caused Secretary Bryan to make urgent rep-Upton Sinclair, in Jail, resentations in behalf of Dr. Ryan to the Spanish Ambassador, General Huerta's representative here.

Dr. Ryan has been connected with the American Embassy as the agent of the Red Cross. During the bombardment of a year ago he did excellent rescue work under fire. Later he was \$1,000,000 Already Available

Scranton, Penn., April 30 .- Dr. Ed-Men Wearing "Thou Shalt ward Ryan, who, it is reported, is to be executed in Mexico City to-morrow, is a native of Jessup, near here. He has been in Mexico for several months world, one having a large supply of as an attache of the Red Cross. He is a former newspaper reporter.

For several days Dr. Ryan's brother-DEATH THREAT BY WOMAN in-law, Henry V. Lawler, has been try- on, will be a fact of the near future ing to get into communication with him through the State Department.

SAYRE TO SEEK \$2,000,000 President's Son-in-Law to Boom Williams College Fund.

(By Telegraph to The Tribuna Williamstown, Mass., April 80.-Francis B. Sayre, son-in-law of Presi-May on an extensive trip in the West the purpose of laying before the fund.

the college will be explained first at by Mr. Ryan, has been the prime mover Pittsburgh and Kansas City. Mr. Sayre in the project and has turned over to will then address the alumni of Denver. the General Memorial Hospital the use Colorado Springs and Salt Lake City. His route will be continued from Los in Colorado, which he and Dr. Howard Angeles up the Pacific Coast to Seattle. A. Kelly, of Baltimore, have developed His only stop on the return journey jointly. will be at Minneapolis.

Her house. Each one wore pinned across his MEXICANS FIRE ON WARD LINE BOAT

ocession and telephoned the police Rear Admiral Mayo Reports Wounding of Her Helmsman at Tampico.

Washington, April 30.-The Navy Department issues the following bulletin: "Rear Admiral Mayo reports from Tampico that on Wednesday the Ward Line steamer Antilio, flying the Cuban flag, while passing up the river to the rehing. They were led by Ar- city was stopped by the Constitutionalists and forced to anchor in the vicinity of Arbol Grande.

"Apparently it was necessary to fire upon the boat before she stopped, as Antillo reported her helmsman wounded and requested medical aid. Admiral Mayo sent a boat with his aid

"Later several foreign officers, headed of the house with their signs by Captain Doughty, of the Hermione, toward the front door. Ward told called on the commander of the Constitutionalists for an explanation of tions, but pathologists familiar with East bist street station. Caron and commander explained that they could and tumors will supplant others. This, the remaining two trailed along be- not let the boat proceed to Tampico, it was explained, is because of the difhind, but finally thought better of it as it was necessary for them to stop ferences existing between the research and disappeared. The two prisoners all stores from reaching the Federals, man and the practitioner, and not be- Colonel Says 'Twas Hard Trip Bluejackets Had Fed and Cared wers locked up charged with loltering and that they would be obliged to stop cause of any dissatisfaction in the

The police pricked up their ears Vera Cruz, in the river, opened fire, the staff. ast night when the most fearsome setting on fire the big oil lighters tied 'stunt" yet planned for Rockefeller's up at the Waters-Pierce refinery. disconfiture came to their ears. If Under cover of this fire the Antillo got The actual management of the hosthe rumor from the Tombs is to be under way and proceeded up the river pital and treatment of cancer will be trusted, Upton Sinclair is the in- to Tampico. It is stated by the Con- under the charge of the faculty of the ventor of what may be the most in- stitutionalists that reinforcements of medical college, of which Dr. William

News of a fire at Tampk has occa- professor of pathology. sioned the gravest anxiety here, as there is always the utmost danger of a crease the size of the hospital buildings, him to stand up. All the other memfire communicating to the oil wells. It as a compact institution will be more is estimated that should the wells take favorable to the study of the patients. health. fire no power on earth could prevent a However, ninety beds will be provided, conflagration that would consume prop- more than in either the Middlesex Hos- Roosevelt and Colonel Rondon, chief

CLEVELAND TIME CHANGED institutions in the world. and down in front of 26 Broadway all Clocks in City Generally Moved to that already at hand, and the latest immediately for the United States. Forward One Hour.

Cleveland, April 30.—Clevelanders the ordinance recently passed by the First ave., will also be available. City Council, adopting Eastern time for the city.

time tables to suit the new schedule.

Thrown from Carriage-Her

Condition Serious. [By Telegraph to The Tribune.] Nempstead, Long Island, April 30.—Mrs.

they May Stick to Sing Sing.....18 severely injured to-night while driving to lic institution. Mahoney Tried to Kill Carnegie 18 Westbury railroad station.

bridle broke, throwing Mrs. Ladenburg bruises on the head and face.

MEDIATORS WILL SUMMON PEACE LARGEST CANCER HOSPITAL FOR N. Y.

Radium, Held Effective for Surface Cases, Basis of Treatment.

MINES WILL YIELD **3 GRAMS OF MINERAL**

for institution To Be Open to Public.

The establishment of the largest and eral Memorial Hospital and Cornell University Medical College.

More than \$1,000,000, exclusive of the value of the hospital buildings, is already in hand to form the basis for the institution. Of this amount \$50,000 was recently given by Allan A. Ryan, son of Thomas F. Ryan.

The authorities of the hospital and Wilson, will leave here early in the medical college are reticent about millionaire and president of Phelps, Dodge & Co., in addition to contributing an amount "many times greater" than that given

It is in the use of this radium, obtained from the carnotite and pitchblende ores in Paradox Valley, Colorado, that Dr. Douglas and the staff of the Cornell University Medical College hope to accomplish the most good, There are already more than one hundred milligrams of radium, including the emanations, available for the work, and the Colorado plant is expected to radium, the largest amount under any one control and of fabulous value.

Formal announcement of the relations to be established between the pathological laboratories of the medical college and the wards of the hosby the board of trustees of the h pital. At that time it is expected that the names of some of the donors and of those who are to take the places of some of the physicians on the present staff will also be announced. The Tribune this morning is able to state broadly the methods by which the co-opera-

While the hospital will retain its present board of trustees, the practising staff is to be changed. Some of its members will continue their connec The Constitutionalist research work in all forms of cancer board with the manner of treatment "Soon after this the Mexican gunboat employed by the present members of

Not to Enlarge Buildings.

M. Polk is dean and Dr. James Ewing

It is not the present intention to in-

devices for the use of radium and for laboratory examination of cancer cases welt and his companions was carried will be procured out of the fund ob- out under particularly favorable congenerally moved their clocks forward tained. The pathological laboratories of ditions. The party explored the River

will be open to all cancer cases, and did service to Brazil and to science. MRS. LADENBURG INJURED in addition, two wards will be mainwhere there is either a possibility of lent spirits after his arrival. relieving the patient's condition or of furnishing material for study. Except with the limitation that the patient United States Ambassador to Spain, must be suffering from some form of whose daughter is to be married shortly

It is primarily because of the fact that cancer specialists admit they have Her horse took fright shortly after the no sure remedy for internal cancer Republicans Face Dismissal in State. 5 coachman left the station and, while other than an operation, that the making frantic efforts to stop him, the trustees of the hospital and the staff of the medical college were able to American jungle safe and sound, except ceachman escaped with a few cuts and a severe shaking up, but Mrs. Ladenburg, whose radium holdings have obtained he has almost recovered. According to he has almost recovered vesterilar by his good behavior and recovered to the recovered vesterilar by his good behavior and recovered to the recovered vesterilar by his good behavior and recovered to the recovered vesterilar by his good behavior and recovered to the recovered vesterilar by his good behavior and recovered to the recovered vesterilar by his good behavior and recovered to the recovered vesterilar by his good behavior and recovered to the recovered vesterilar by his good behavior and recovered to the recovered vesterilar by his good behavior and recovered to the reco MISCELLANEOUS.

A severe shaking up, but Mrs. Ladenburg, whose radium holdings have obtained he has almost recovered. According to good behavior and recommending them wide publicity, in the project for the striking the stone road, broke her arm wide publicity, in the project for the friends in New York his six months' trip to the infantrymen who were to take the project for the friends in New York his six months' trip to the infantrymen who were to take the project for the friends in New York his six months' trip to the infantrymen who were to take the project for the friends in New York his six months' trip to the infantrymen who were to take the project for the friends in New York his six months' trip to the infantrymen who were to take the project for the friends in New York his six months' trip to the infantrymen who were to take the project for the friends in New York his six months' trip to the infantrymen who were to take the project for the friends in New York his six months' trip to the infantrymen who were to take the project for the friends in New York his six months' trip to the infantrymen who were to take the project for the friends in New York his six months' trip to the infantrymen who were to take the project for the friends in New York his six months' trip to the infantrymen who were to take the project for the friends in New York his six months' trip to the infantrymen who were to take the project for the friends in New York his six months' trip to the infantrymen who were to take the project for the friends in New York his six months' trip to the infantrymen who were to take the project for the friends in New York his six months' trip to the friends in New York his six months' trip to the friends in New York his six months' trip to the friends in New York his six months' trip to the friends in New York his six months' trip to the friends in New York his six months' trip to the friends in New York his six months' trip to the friends in New York his six months' trip to the friends in New York striking the stone road, broke her arm wide pushenty, in the project for the rear the shoulder and received cuts and union between the two institutions. Behind this was the desire to have a Passers by took Mrs. Ladenburg to her practical hospital and a research He did home, where her condition is serious. Dr. laboratory working for the same end, labora

TRANK F. FLETCHER, "Rear Admiral, U. S. Navy, "Commanding U. S. Naval Forces on Shore." **VERA CRUZ WON BY** ROOSEVELT ILL;

Suffering from Boils, Un- Officers of Retiring Battalable to Stand Up, but in Good Spirits.

TRAMPS 1,000 MILES

-No Hint About Plans for Homecoming.

Manaos, Brazil, April 80.-Colonel Roosevelt and the members of his exa party on board a steamer sent to meet them by the Governor of the State of Amazonas.

Colonel Roosevelt was suffering from boils, but was not seriously affected, although they caused him much inconvenience and made it impossible for bers of the expedition were in excellent

Colonel Roosevelt, with Kermit pital, in London, or the Heidelberg of the Brazilian mission which accom-Hospital, now the two largest cancer panied the expedition, took up his quarters at the International Hotel. Special X-ray apparatus, in addition The former President intends to leave

The journey made by Colonel Rooseone hour to-night, in compliance with the medical college, at 28th st. and Castanha, which was renamed the River Roosevelt. The River Duvida, or As is the usage of Rockefeller In- "River of Doubt," was found to be unstitute for Medical Research, it is the questionably the River Gyparana. The Practically every business concern intention of the new administration of party followed this river from the end has agreed to abide by the ordinance the General Memorial Hospital to of the telegraph line to its junction and railroad and interurban lines en- take only those cases open to treat- with the Madeira, a distance of about tering the city are arranging their ment or of interest in study. The 630 miles. The results of the expediactive operating wards of the hospital tion are considered here to be of spien-

In spite of his sufferings from the tained for non-operative cancer cases, boils Colonel Roosevelt was in excel- weapons.

Madrid, April 30 .- Joseph E. Willard, the Entity Ladenburg, well known for her ability at 'cross-country hunting, was the latent to Kermit Roosevelt, received a cable-to Kermit Roosevelt, received a cable-to Kermit Roosevelt Roosevelt dated Manaos, Brazil. The dispatch stated that all had arrived safe, but that Colonel Roosevelt was suffering from a slight ill-

Theodore Roosevelt is out of the South

He did what he set out to do and this city.

14, 15 and 16

Mrs. Ladenburg had come down to Westbury to open her country home. She is well known in New York society and the surface of the body have been thousand miles of unmapped river, can be said to have a schedule. The brief thoroughly capable appearance with a shread thoroughly capable appearance with a shr

HAS SKIN TROUBLE KINDNESS OF NAVY

ion Thanked by Mexican Women.

BAND OF ORPHANS

for Week for Children in Big Asylum.

By ARTHUR RUHL. Vera Cruz, April 30.-The Navy pedition were welcomed here to-day by came, saw and conquered in more senses than one. If Rear Admiral Fletcher had not issued a proclamawork an eloquent indorsement of it would have been given by the behavior of the people of Vera Cruz. It is no exaggeration to say that in many cases, especially among the poorer classes, the departure of these big, kindly men who fed them, heard their complaints and treated every one with fairness and justice was almost like that of some new and hitherto un-

heard of kind of generous parent. What happened in the district occupied by the battalion from the battleship Arkansas was characteristic of what happened elsewhere. This battalion had headquarters in the Zamorra Orphan Asylum, and all through the week the officers and men fed and took care of 150 little brown faced, brighteved huerfanos, who had the time of their lives.

This district includes the market, small shops and drinking places, and was handled more roughly than any were not only opened but torn from their hinges and windows smashed in the search for snipers and concealed

It was not a neighborhood that could be triffed with, yet so completely have these very men won the inhabitants by gentleness to women and kindness everywhere since the necessity for force was over that yesterday women of the district came to the hospital and thanked Battalion Commander Keating and Lieutenant Ingram, adjutant, and gave the former an elaborate embroidered tablecloth and the latter a hat-

Keating in turn issued a letter addressed to whom it might concern, thankbluejackets' place. Lieutenant Ingram this government has intrusted, by the that the proposal for an armistice has father to the simple childlike class he had to deal with. A former football of the Mexican difficulty. Unless, of the Mexican difficulty. Whether they will care to make this nor to engage in hostilities, unless, of Whether they will care to make this nor to engage in hostilities, unless, of the Mexican difficulty. brief he combines an impressive size and fact plain to the administration, and course, American forces are attacked.

SETTLEMENT SCHEME TO BE DRAWN UP BY THE A B C POWERS

United States, Huerta and Carranza Each to Have One Representative—May Hold Meetings in Washington.

HUERTA CONSENTS TO AN ARMISTICE

Meanwhile Special Agents of Two Factions in Mexico Are on the Way to See Bryan, with View to Reaching an Agreement Beforehand.

(From The Tribune Bureau.)

Washington, April 30 .- A peace conference to be composed of one representative each of the United States and the Huerta and Carranza factions in Mexico, to which will be submitted a comprehensive plan for the settlement of Mexico's troubles, is the plan of the diplomatic representatives of Brazil, Argentina and Chili. This the Tribune correspondent is in a position to state upon the highest authority.

The paramount advantages of this plan are, first, that it obviates the necessity of calling upon the United States or either of the Mexican factions for any statement of the conditions which any of them might regard as essential to a settlement of the difficulty; secondly that it will bring the diplomatic representatives of the three partic to the dispute face to face with three earnest, able men, actuate by a single purpose, the desire to accomplish peace and avert was and, thirdly, that if a practicable and reasonable plan is formulated and made public it will compel wide popular support and make exceedingly difficult for any one of the parties to the conference reject it on captious or unreasonable grounds.

The United States has agreed conditionally to the armistice proposed by the intermediaries and word was received late this evening from Huerta that he also would agree to the cessation of hostilities

pending the negotiations. Some measure of anxiety attends the attitude of the Carranzis-That an armistice is essential in order that nothing may occur to arouse intense indignation on the part of the public and the s to hamper the work of the intermediaries is generally agreed.

Whether the proposed conference shall be held in Washington or elsewhere is a question which remains to be settled. There are some excellent reasons, including the personal convenience of the intermediaries, which would dictate that it be held in the American capital. On the other hand, it is quite possible that the intermediaries and the representatives of the several parties to the conference would enjoy a freer hand if it were held elsewhere, and either or both of the Mexican factions might object to a conference held under the shadow of the State Department, so to speak.

There is also a possibility that the conference may last into the heated term, when Washington would prove an uncomfortable place in which to hold extended meetings, and this has led to the suggestion that some seaside resort be chosen, as in the case of the Russo-Japanese conference, which was held at Portsmouth. The selection of some European capital or resort also has been suggested.

While it cannot be said that any formal consideration has been tion complimenting the men on their given to the propositions to (1) choose a provisional President to direct the affairs of Mexico pending the holding of a constitutional election and the qualification of the successful candidate and (2) to appoint a commission to handle the affairs of Mexico until that end is achieved, it is known that both of these plans have been suggested informally and will receive serious consideration in the deliberations of the intermediaries.

Special commissioners representing Huerta and Carranza are understood to be on their way to Washington to confer with the mediators and possibly with the government of the United States with a view to reaching an agreement which will result in a settlement of the Mexican problem. That this will be the result is regarded as doubtful. Even the mediators, inspired by the most devout hopes of success, are not confident. They recognize the obstacles that stand in the way.

It is the purpose of Secretary Bryan, when the representatives of Huerta and Carranza come to Washington, to make to them the following proposal:

"That both Huerta and Carranza resign the position which each other in the first few days. Doors claims to hold as the provisional President of Mexico; that a third person, mutually agreeable to Huerta and Carranza, be appointed to take charge of the government in Mexico City during a period of transition, during which there shall be held an election which will result in the selection of a legal President by the ballot rather than the bullet."

Secretary Bryan drove to the Argentine Legation late to-night and conferred with the three mediators. This is the proposition which the ad- will be guided by the views of the

ministration has in mind. There are mediators, remains to be seen, although

tive of this government directly to the ference with their plans. representatives of the Mexican factions The United States government, as will be wholly at variance with the represented by the State Department, plans of the mediators, in whose hands has formally advised the mediators acceptance of their mediation proposal, been accepted by the United States. all negotiations looking to a settlement During the truce the United States

whether or not the administration in Neither Huerta nor Carranza has sa

obvious obstacles, and the prospect of it seems to be generally believed in success along this line is apparently diplomatic circles that under the cirsmall, but it is, just the ame, the game cumstances the mediators should enjoy which the administration seeks to play, an absolutely free hand and that the The submission of any plan by the success of their efforts would be pro-Secretary of State or other representa- moted by an entire absence of inter-

its anxiety for the elmination of Huerta, far said whether he will enter into an